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others who were on the excursion unite with him in thanking the many friends they made for the true western hospitality extended and accepted.

The twenty-second meeting of the association will be held at PORTLAND, Maine, beginning on Wednesday, AUGUST 20, 1873, and we believe that the association made a most judicious choice in selecting a place not only easily reached from all sections of the country, but one which will offer the extra inducement of a probably cool season, however hot the discussions may prove, and there will not be the 'bugbear' of "too hot a place to go in August" which has prevented many members from attending the western meetings.

The officers elect for the next meeting are *President*, JOSEPH LOVERING of Cambridge; *Vice President*, A. H. WORTHEN of Springfield, Ill.; *Permanent Secretary*, F. W. PUTNAM* of Salem; *General Secretary*, C. A. WHITE of Iowa City; *Treasurer*, W. S. VAUX of Philadelphia; *Standing Committee, ex officio*, in addition to the above officers, J. LAWRENCE SMITH of Louisville, Ky.; ALEX. WINCHELL of Ann Arbor; E. S. MORSE of Salem.

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* Mr. Putnam will not enter upon the duties of his office, except so far as relates to arrangements connected with the Portland meeting, until next summer, and all communications relating to the past meeting must be addressed to Prof. Lovering.